



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Takaaki INOUE et al.**

Group Art Unit: **1743**

Serial No.: **09/698,289**

Examiner: **Jill Alice WARDEN**

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For: **AUTOMATIC SYNTHESIS MACHINE**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: June 2, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated February 23, 2004 for one month from May 23, 2004 to June 23, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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